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### U. S. Department of Agricultur DAHLIAS

### This Is Our Descriptive Wholesale Trade List for Spring 1936

This List cancels all prices and terms of previous Mailing Lists Offering Selected Divisions of Reliable and Dependable Commercial Varieties

NOTE—We sell field-grown tubers only, no plants or pot roots offered for sale. We ship only selected A-No. I divisions showing eyes or sprouts, and guaranteed to be absolutely true to name. We don't substitute, and if sold out on a variety ordered cheerfully refund remittance.

Our stock is grown right to produce only healthy, firm tubers. Fields are sprayed regularly and carefully roqued. All plants showing signs of weakness or disease are immediately destroyed.

This farm is under the supervision of men who have life experience in growing Dahlias and in selecting and packing Dahlia tubers right to satisfy the most critical customers. Considering the high quality and healthy stock offered, our prices are very reasonable. Purchase elsewhere and compare our stock. Try it and be convinced. We annually receive hundreds of testimonial letters from satisfied customers of the florists' trade, seed houses and commercial Dahlia growers.

The Florist's, Gardener's and Dahlia lover's favorite list of reliable and dependable free-blooming varieties.

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DECORATIVE TYPE	Doz.	100	DECORATIVE TYPE - Continued	Doz.	100
Aida. Decorativo maroon	1.50	\$10.00	Snowdrift. Pure white\$		
Al. Koran. Yellow suffused amber	2.00	15.00 10.00	Sunshine. Scarlet and gold. Supreme Glory. Rich yellow.	1.50 3.50	10.00 25.00
Amityville. Silver plnk	2.00	15.00	*Sylvia Dickey. Phlox pink.  Terra Cotta. Terra cotta color	1.00	5.00
Avalon. Pure clear yellow	1.50	10.00	The Grizzly. Dark maroon.	1.50	10.00
Barbara Redfern. Old gold and rose	5.00 1.50	40.00 10.00	Inco. Vall. Old gold and apricot	1.50 2.50	10.00
Barbara Wear. Violet rose and cream	1.50	10.00	ine World. Kosy magenta tin sllver	3.50	25.00
Beauty Supreme. Blue Jersey	2.00	15.00 12.00	Thomas Edison. Royal purple.  Tommy Atkins. Bright scarlet.	2.00	15.00 15.00
Bibb's Grace. White tinted orchid pink	2.00	15.00	reasure Island. Gold shaded apricot	2.00	15.00
Bob White. A giant white	3.50	25.00 25.00	Trentonian. Brownish coppery bronze	1.50 3.50	10.00 25.00
Calvin Coolidge, Jr. Rose-pink and salmon	3.50 1.50	10.00	Waldheim Sunshine. Golden yellow. Watchung Sunrise. Amber edged pink.	6.00	50.00
Cambria. Light rose-pink	1.50	10.00	White King. White Larocco	1.50	10.00
Carmencita. Yellow, striped scarlet	1.50 2.00	10.00 15.00	Will Rogers. Lavender and white. World's Best White. Pure white.	6.00 3.50	25,00
City of Wellston. Rosy violet and purple	2.00	15.00	Yellow Colosse. Bright yellow	1.00	5.00
Clara Fisher. Golden yel. su. bronze	3.50 1.50	25.00 10.00	Yellow DeLuxe. Golden yellow	2.00 1.50	15.00 10.00
*Darlene. Shell pink and white	1.00	5.00		1.00	10.00
Donna California. Deep lavender rose		25.00	SHOW AND RALL TYPE		
Dr. Bartley. Orchid pink Dr. J. H. Carman. Rose and silver		25.00 20.00	*A. D. Liveni. Shell pink	1.00	5.00 10.00
Dr. John Palmer. Bright red	3.00	20.00	Elsle Burgess. Lavender wh. rose-plnk	1.20	8.00
Dwight W. Morrow. Large, deep red	5.00 2.00	40.00 15.00	Gold Medal. Yellow striped scarlet	1.50	10.00
Elsa London Sheppard. Orange and gold	3.00	20.00	Maude Adams. White and pink	1.00	5.00 10.00
F. J. March. Lavender, tlnted purple	4.00	30 <b>.0</b> 0	Mary Bowman. Golden yellow	1.50	10.00
*Florence Finger. Dark rose	1.00 3.50	5.00 25.00	Mary Helen. New golden yellow	3.50	25.00
*Francis Larocco. Canary vollow	1.00	5.00		1.50	10.00
Franklin D. Roosevelt. Jack Rose color	3.50	25.00	PEONY AND PEONY DECORATIVE T		E
Frank Walker. Lavender pink* *Fraternity. Buff and lavender plnk	1.50	10.00 5.00	City of Portland. Deep yellow	2.50	• • • •
F. T. D. Tyrian rose	1.50	10.00	Pride of Portland. Searlet and gold	2.50	
Futurity. Salmon rose-plnk	1.50	10.00	Meyerbeer. Violet purple	1.50	10.00
Golden Eclipse, Imp. Sagamore	6.00 3.00	50.00 20.00	POMPONS		
Harry Mayer. Rosaline purple	1.50	10.00	Arthur. Brilliant scarlet	1.20	8.00
Hather. Orange flame shading crim	2.00 1.50	15.00 10.00	*Brennen's Red. Bright red	1.00	5.00 10.00
Hortulanus Fiet. Salmon, rose-pink.	1.50	10.00	*Cardinal. Fiery scarlet	1.00	5.00
Ida Perkins. Pure white	2.50		Catherine. Good yellow	1.50	10.00
James Kirby. Best large red commercial to date	5.00 1.50	40.00 10.00	Cleo. Old gold, orange center	1.50 2.00	10.00 15.00
*Jean Kerr. Pure white	1.00	5.00	Edith Mueller. Gold and orange	1.50	10.00
Jersey's Beacon. Chinese scarlet.  *Jersey's Beauty. True pink	1.50	10.00	Elizabeth. Gold and brown	1.20	8.00
Jim Moore. Yellow tinted gold	1.00 3.50	5.00 25.00	Fashion. Orange	1.20 1.20	8.00 8.00
John Lewis Childs. Yellow and searlet	1.50	10.00	Ganymede. Fawn color	1.20	8.00
Judge Marean. Orange yellow and gold	1.50	10.00	George Ireland. Dainty mauve pink	2.00	15.00
Kathleen Norris. Beautiful rose-pink	3.50 3.50	25.00 25.00	*Hazel. Buff to brown*  *Joe Fette. Pure white	1.00	5.00 5.00
Kentucky. Orange, salmon pink	1.50	10.00	Jonkheer von Citters. Yellow and orange	1.20	8.00
King Midas. Golden yellow	3.00 1.50	20.00 10.00	Kim. New orange color *Kitty Barrett. Gold and red	3.50 1.00	25.00 5.00
Kitty Dunlop. Amer. Beauty rose color	1.50	10.00	Kleine Domitea. Orange buff	1.20	8.00
Laurel Beauty. Rhodonite pink	2.00	15.00	Little Beeswing. Bright red and yellow	1.20	8.00
Le Grand Manitou. White and purple Le Toreador. Brilllant red	1.50	10.00 5.00	Little David. Deep shade of orange *Little Herman. Red and white var	1.20	8.00 5.00
Mark Hanna. Bright red, a giant	6.00	50.00	*Pumice Prince. Dull red	1.00	5.00
Marmion. Golden yellow shaded bronze		15.00	Yellow Gem. Best yellow	1.20	8.00
Minute Man. Orange, yellow, white	2.00 1.50	15.00 10.00	CACTUS AND HYBRID CACTUS TYPE	PE	
Monmouth Champion. Flaming orange	3.50	25.00	Attraction. Light orehid plnk	1.50	10.00
Mrs. A. E. Wheeler. Dark violet purple	3.50 2.00	25.00 15.00	*Bianca. Lavender pink	1.00	5.00 10.00
Mrs. Carl Salbach. Lavender pink	1.50	10.00	Countess of Claverty, Rose-plak	5.00	
*Mrs. I. de Ver Warner. Orchid pink	1.00	5.00	Countess of Lonsdale. Salmon apricot	1.50	10.00
Nathan Hale. Bronzy golden buff	1.50	10.00 10.00	Elkridge. Pure white	2.00	15.00
*Patrick O'Mara. Golden orange buff	1.00	5.00	F. W. Fellowes. Yellowish bronze	3.50	
Paul Michael. Golden orange buff	2.00 1.00	15.00	General Rosalie Jones. Bright yellow	3.50	
*Perfect Beauty. Scarlet and white		5.00 15.00	George Walters, Salmon plnk	3.50 2.50	20.00
*Porthos. Deep red	1.00	5.00	Jean Hare. Buff apricot shaded bronze	3.50	25.00
President Wilson. Carmine and white		25.00 25.00	Kalif. Pure scarlet	1.50 1.50	10.00 10.00
Pride of California. Crimson		5.00	Lady Helen. Carmine rose and cream	3.50	25.00
Pride of Fort Morgan. Intense red	2.50		Minnie Eastman. Flame and yellow	3.50	25.00
Purple Manitou. Violet purple	2.00	15.00 15.00		3 <b>.00</b> 3 <b>.5</b> 0	20.00 25.00
Queen Mary, Pink	1.50	10.01	Mrs. W. E. Estes. Pure white	2.50	23.00
Regal. Bronze rose and yellow	2.00	15.00	Nancy Carroll. Orange russet and gold	2.00	15.00
Robert E. Lee. Cardinal rcd	2.00 1.50	15.00 10.00	Red Cross. Reddish old gold	2.50 2.50	
*Sagmorc, Golden amber vellow, Salbach's White. Snow-white.	1.00	5.00	Silverado. White and silvery lavender	2.00	15.00
Salbach's White. Snow-white	2.50	15.00	Siskiyou. Pink tinged mauve	6.00	
Sampson. Bronze, scarlet and gold	2.00 2.50	15.00	Sole Mio. Deep yellow and apricot	2.50 1.50	12.00
Seal's Californian. Yellow and rose pink. Shudow's Lavender. Silvery lavender.		10.00	U. S. A. Orange buff	2.00	15.00
Shudow's Lavender. Silvery lavender	3.50	• • • •	Wolfgang Von Goethe. Apricot and rose	2.00	15.00

TERMS—Cash with order is requested, 25% deposit to reserve or on C. O. D. orders. Liberal count and extras will be added to cover value of cash discount and help defray shipping charges. Regular Trade Terms to Seed Houses.

Note-6 at dozen rate, 25 at 100 rate. Important: Price of (one only) is one-tenth of dozen price.

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Wm. A. Finger, Jr. Manager

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William A. Finger, Manager

## ONE OF OUR MANY UNSOLICITED TESTIMONIALS

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"We want to take this opportunity to thank you for the fine Dahlias sent us earlier in the season. We bought from you both in February and in March for our own planting, and the first lot, Jersey's Beauty, Mrs. I. de Ver Warner, Francis Larocco. Le Toreador and Jane Cowl are now in full bloom, and I have never seen finer plants and bloom, and we have been growing them for many years. I am glad to have found a grower from whom I can get high-grade, healthy, dependable Dahlias, and next season I intend to mail you my complete order for all my Dahlia needs early in the season. Your tubers sprouted practically 100 per cent and all produced strong, vigorous plants with very unusually fine bloom. You may quote me to anyone. No better stock can be bought anywhere than that you shipped me.

"Respectfully,

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#### FIELD CLUMPS OF STANDARD VARIETIES

Having 400,000 clumps of named varieties in storage for the 1936 season, we can supply many varieties listed in selected field clumps (if ordered during Winter or early Spring months). months)

The commercial varieties marked \* in he supplied in large quantities.

Clump orders will be reserved in storage for Spring shipment. Terms as per trade list.

Prices—Selected Clumps of a variety "if still available" are offered at twice the list division price.



### "BIBB'S GRACE"

Showing, at left, this sterling NEW, Missouri Dahlia in blooming season. All plants "tipped" once.

This marvelous "cutting Dahlia" will produce immense blooms that will keep and ship and bring growers a fine return.

Below, Bibb's Grace in a patch, tipped twice. Result, low growth, long stems, lots of flowers.



#### DAHLIA ROOTS IN SEPARATE COLORS

For Counter Trade

DIVIS	IONS	WHOLE FIELD CLUMPS				
Lavender Pink Red Yellow White	Per 100 \$3.00 Per 1000 \$25.00	Lavender Pink Red Yellow White	Per 100 \$8.00 Per 1000 \$75.00			

Mixed colors, in divisions or clumps; same price as above

#### QUALITY DAIILIA SEED

To supply the constant demand for high class seed we have secured a limited quantity of Culifornia's Finest Dablia Seed.

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